In the Claims:

Please amend the following claims: (Version with markings to show changes made)

1. (Thrice Amended) A portable speed bump unit for slowing a vehicle, comprising:

a plurality of speed bump cells, each said speed bump cell being a block having a bottom[,] and a top surface, [and a means for supporting the weight of the vehicle to support said top point a fixed distance above said bottom,] said top surface starting at a front edge of said bottom, rising to a top point above said bottom, and falling to a back edge of said bottom; and

a means for pivotally interconnecting said plurality of speed bump cells, [wherein the portable speed bump unit is stored by rolling up said plurality of speed bump cells and is deployed by unrolling said plurality of speed bump cells] such that each of said plurality of speed bump cells abuts a speed bump cell adjacent thereto.

32. (Amended) The portable speed bump <u>unit</u> according to claim 1, wherein [said means for supporting the weight of the vehicle is] <u>each</u> said block [being] <u>is</u> substantially solid.

Please enter the following new claim:

--33. The portable speed bump unit according to claim 1, wherein said means for pivotally interconnecting said plurality of speed bump cells is selected from the group consisting of a locking pin, a universal joint, male/female connectors, and a piano hinge.--

In the Claims:

The following is a clean version of the amended claims, their entry is respectfully requested:

A portable speed bump unit for slowing a vehicle, comprising:

a plurality of speed bump cells, each said speed bump cell being a block having a bottom and a top surface, said top surface starting at a front edge of said bottom, rising to a top point above said bottom, and falling to a back edge of said bottom; and

a means for pivotally interconnecting said plurality of speed bump cells, such that each of said plurality of speed bump cells abuts a speed bump cell adjacent thereto.

The portable speed bump unit according to claim 1, wherein each said block is substantially solid.

The portable speed bump unit according to claim 1, wherein said means for pivotally interconnecting said plurality of speed bump cells is selected from the group consisting of a locking pin, a universal joint, male/female connectors, and a piano hinge.

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